GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Home Department - Disciplinary action against Sri Perathothi Yesupadam, (Retired) SI of Police, (f) Nuzvid Circle, Krishna District- Charges held Proved – to impose the penalty of 10% (ten percent) cut in pension for a period of two (2) years and treating the suspension period from 25.05.2018 to 01.07.2018 as 'Not on Duty' - Orders - Issued.

HOME (SERVICES.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1130

Dated.12.10.2023
Read the following:-

1) From the Director General of Police, A.P., Mangalagiri letter Rc.No.348/T1/2020, dated 01.05.2020, 29.10.2021 & 25.08.2022.
2) Govt., Memo No.1562510/Ser.II/A1/2021, Home (Ser.II) Dept., dated:09.02.2023.
3) From the Director General of Police, A.P., Mangalagiri, letter Rc.No.348/T1/2020, dated:24.05.2023.
4) Govt., Letter No.1562510/Ser.II/A1/2021, Home (Ser.II) Dept., dated 20.07.2023.
5) From the Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commissioin, Lr.No. GAD03-APPS0DCC/77/2023,-DC.SEC-APPSC (Computer No. 2169370), dated.26.09.2023.

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ORDER:

The Director General of Police, A.P., Mangalagiri vide letter 1st read above, has stated that Sri P.Yesupadam, Retired SI, (f) Nuzvid Circle who retired from service on superannuation w.e.f. 31.03.2020 was handed upon with a Major Charge under Rule-20 of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules-1991, vide Memorandum of Charge C.No.08(i)/P1/2018, dated:27-03-2019 for the following delinquency together with other HC:-

Charge:

Charged Officer-1: "For exhibiting gross reprehensible conduct and dereliction of his legitimate duties by indulging in corrupt practices duly colluding with HC.870 Sri K.V.Anjaneyulu and the HG.656 Sri Songa Nagaraju of Nuzvid Town PS while they were performing drunk and drive checking duty at Madhusudhanarao Petrol Bunk, Hanuman Junction Road, Nuzvid on the night of 06.05.2018, stopped Sri Chinchili Ashok Kumar of Chekkapalli(v) along with three others who were moving by two motorcycles in drunken state and demanded an amount of Rs.7,500/- from the pillion rider of the motorcycle Sri Borra Anjith Kumar of Chekkapalli (v) and accepted Rs.5,000/- as bribe through Sri Songa Nagaraju, Home Guard No.656 for doing official favour in not booking the case of drunk and drive against them and thereby he tarnished the image of Police in the view of general public and violated the Rule.3(1)(2)(3) of A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964".

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Charged Officer-2:"For exhibiting gross reprehensible conduct and dereliction of his legitimate duties by indulging in corrupt practices duly colluding with the SI of Police-II Sri P.Yesupadam and the HG.656 Sri Songa Nagaraju of Nuzvid Town PS while they were performing drunk and drive checking duty at Madhusudhanarao Petrol Bunk, Hanuman Junction Road, Nuzvid on the night of 06.05.2018, stopped Sri Chinchili Ashok Kumar of Chekkapalli(v) along with three others who were moving by two motorcycles in drunken state and demanded an amount of Rs.7,500/- from the pillion rider of the motorcycle Sri Borra Anjith Kumar of Chekkapalli(v) and accepted Rs.5,000/- as bribe through Sri Songa Nagaraju, Home Guard No.656 for doing official favour in not booking the case of drunk and drive against them and thereby he tarnished the image of Police in the view of general public and violated the Rule-3(1)(2)(3) of A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964".

3. The Addl. Superintendent of Police, [Ops] OSD, Rampachodavaram who was appointed as an Enquiry Officer conducted the Oral Enquiry and submitted the findings as follows:

> "The Charges levelled against the Charged Officer-1 Sri P. Yesupadam, SI of Police, working in Nuzvid Circle under attachment formerly Nuzvid Town PS and the Charged Officer-II Sri K.V.Anjaneyulu, HC 870 working in Nandigama Town PS formerly Nuzvid Town PS are **"Proved"** as classified of the content of conducting drunk & drive to the four persons including pillion riders and leaving them with one bike by collecting Rs.2000/- from them as deposit amount. Charges regarding collecting of bribe or Rs.7,500/ - are "**Not Proved**" as per the evidence adduced.

4. Provisionally agreeing with the findings of the Inquiry Officer the Deputy Inspector General of Police, Eluru Range, Eluru, has issued Memo. [Show Cause Notice] along with Minutes to the Charged SI Sri P. Yesupadam & Police Constable-870 Sri K.V.Anjaneyulu to submit their 'Final Written statement of defence vide Show Cause Notice Memo, dated: 14.02.2020. The above Charged Officers submits their 'Further Representation' to the Show Cause Notice.

5. The Director General of Police, A.P., while forwarding the OE PR in respect of Sri P.Yesupadam, SI of Police, Nuzvid Circle and requested the Government to dispose the PR under Rule-9(2)(a) of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 along with co-delinquent in the said OE, as the above charged SI was retired from service on superannuation on 31.03.2020, before completion of the disciplinary proceedings and the Government alone is competent authority for disposal of disciplinary proceedings in respect of retired persons.

6. Government, have examined the report of the Enquiry Officer and accepted the findings of Enquiry Officer and provisionally decided to impose penalty of 10% (ten percent) cut in pension for a period of two years, besides treating the suspension period from 25.05.2018 to 01.07.2018 as 'Not on Duty' against the Charged Officer Sri P.Yesupadam, (Retired) SI of Police, Nuzvid Circle, Krishna District.

7. Accordingly, show cause notice was issued to the charged officer vide Government memo 2nd read above. Sri P.Yesupadam, (Retired) SI of Police, Nuzvid Circle has submitted his explanation through the Director General of Police, AP., vide letter 3rd read above. The same has been examined and decided that the decision taken by the Government in imposing penalty of 10% (ten percent) cut in pension for period of two years, besides treating the suspension period spent by him as 'Not on duty' holds good. As per APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991, the matter has been referred to the APPSC for their advice. The A.P. Public Service Commission vide letter 5th read above has agreed the proposal of the Government as indicated at para (6) above.

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8. In view of the circumstances stated above, Government, after careful examination of the entire issue, hereby impose the penalty of 10% (Ten percent) cut in pension for a period of two (02) years besides treating the **suspension period from 25.05.2018 to 01.07.2018 as 'Not on Duty'** against Sri P.Yesupadam, (Retired) SI of Police, Nuzvid Circle of Krishna District for the charges held proved against him under Rule 9(2) (a) of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

9. A copy of the reference 5th read above is communicated to the charged officer as per Rule 23 of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991.

10. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh is requested to take necessary further action in the matter accordingly. The records received through the letter 1st read above are returned herewith and receipt of the same should be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

HARISH KUMAR GUPTA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri
(w.e - Records in original)
The individual through the Director General of Police, Mangalagiri.
Copy to:
The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Vijayawada (5 copies)
The Deputy Inspector General Police, Eluru Ranage, Eluru.
The Accountant General of Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Tadepalli, Guntur District.
SF/SC.

//Forwarded :: By Order//

SECTION OFFICER.